



Maggie L. Walker on Facebook!

Target audience: 11th grade VA/ US History

Ties to Virginia Standards of Learning: History and Social Science SOLs: VUS6.e, VUS7.d,e, VUS.8c,d, VUS.10 a,b,c, VUS.11c, VUS.12a,b, VUS.14a,b

Materials: Access to reference books, internet, computers for creating, writing, editing and posting wiki articles

Abstract: Your task is to create a Facebook page for Maggie L. Walker as if she were alive today, fully expressing her personal religious, political and social views. With your group, read the biographical sketch of Maggie Walker in the “Creating a Wiki” program as an introduction. Your group may use other resources in the library media center, and on the web, to find additional information you may need.

Using the template below, create a Facebook page either digitally or on a large piece of poster board or butcher paper. Be creative in your groups-but also be sure to check for accuracy in details. You will present your Facebook page to the rest of the class, so please include only relevant information to help your classmates learn about the remarkable Mrs. Walker and her circle of friends!!

Use the following template as a guide to create your LARGER Facebook page on the computer, poster board or butcher paper:

<p>PHOTO (or drawing)</p>

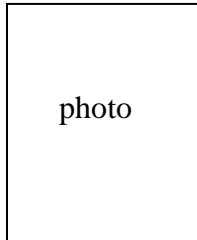
Name:

Network: (With whom do you hope to communicate your ideas?)

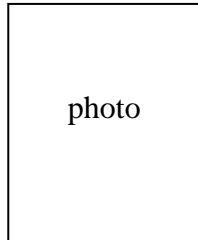
Hometown: (Where was she from?)

Friends Information

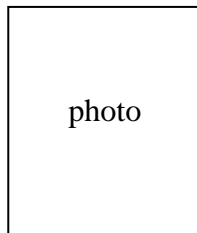
(In this section list 3 or more friends that Mrs. Walker may have— from the past or present)



Name



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Interests:

(What are the ideals expressed by Maggie L. Walker? What kind of changes to society did she want to bring about?)

Favorite Books:

(What works has Maggie L. Walker authored, and what are the significance of those works? What other pieces of literature might inspire her?)

Favorite Quotes:

(What are some quotes of Mrs. Walker that express her ideas? Be prepared to explain the significance of these quotes to your classmates!)

Groups: Make up one group that Maggie L. Walker might belong to

Flair: Design a piece of Flair for Mrs. Walker's page

Template for digital page:

<http://multimedialearning.com/wp-content/uploads/2009/02/lincolnfacebook-large1.jpg>

Extension of the lesson: Teachers may opt to allow students to create Facebook pages for other historic figures from Maggie L. Walker's time period or life.